A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO IRRIGATION.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:

- 1 SECTION 1. Reliable irrigation systems are the lifelines
- 2 of Hawaii's agricultural industry. To ensure that Hawaii's
- 3 agricultural crops receive a steady and dependable supply of
- 4 water, sufficient funding is needed to maintain and improve
- 5 Hawaii's irrigation systems. Increasing and extended water
- 6 droughts have highlighted the need for the repair and
- 7 maintenance of the irrigation systems in the State.
- 8 The purpose of this Act is to appropriate moneys for
- 9 maintenance and improvements to the Peekauai ditch irrigation
- 10 system.
- 11 SECTION 2. There is appropriated out of the general
- 12 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$10,000 or so much
- 13 thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2015-2016 and the
- 14 same sum or so much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year
- 15 2016-2017 for the purpose of maintenance and improvements to the
- 16 Peekauai ditch irrigation system, also known as Menehune ditch,
- 17 and all appurtenances.



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1	The	sums	appropriated	shall	be	expended	by	the	department
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- ${f 2}$ of agriculture for the purposes of this Act.
- 3 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2015.

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INTRODUCED BY:

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Report Title:

Peekauai Ditch Irrigation System; Appropriation

Description:

Appropriates moneys for maintenance and improvements to the Peekauai ditch irrigation system.

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